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Press of
The Independent-Reporter Company
Skowhegan, Maine

## Town Officers, 1915-16

Moderator:

T. J. YOUNG

Town Clerk:

P. S. LONGLEY

Selectmen, Assessors and Overseers of Poor:

M. P. POLLARD

I. L. BROWN

A. C. ADAMS

Treasurer:

L. L. PATTERSON

School Committee:

P. E. PRIEST

G. H. RANDLETT

MRS. FRED COOLIDGE

Superintendent of Schools:

H. W. WOOD

Collector:

F. A. VITTUM

Road Commissioner:

W. A. R. HEALD

# Selectmen's Report

## Amount Raised by Vote of Town March 1, 1915

Common Schools	\$1,000.00	
School Books	. 300.00	
High School	1,000.00	
Domestic Science and Manual Training	. 150.00	
Repair of Schoolhouses	. 200.00	
Highways and Bridges	2,000.00	
Snow Roads, 1915-16	. 800.00	
Support of Poor	. 500.00	
State Aid Road	. 533.00	
State Highways	. 100.00	
Town charges, debt and interest	4,000.00	
Electric Lights	. 400.00	
Public Library	. 150.00	
Compensation of Fire Wards	. 10.00	
For use of Fire Wards	. 50.00	
Investigation of water supply	. 100.00	
L. P. Cates (Dray)	. 5.00	
Williams Hill, so called	. 25.00	
Memorial Day	. 10.00	
Curtis Hill	. 300.00	
	\$11,6	33.00
State tax	\$2,277.89	
County tax	. 637.04	
Overlay	. 584.56	
		99.49
Real estate, resident		
Personal estate, resident		
Real estate, non-resident		
Personal estate, non-resident		
	\$431,9	24.00
Tax on \$431,924 @ .033	\$14,253.49	
Tax on 293 polls		
Supplementary tax		
		96.32

### TOWN CHARGES

Appropriation		\$4,000.00
D. S. York, payment of note	\$100.00	
F. A. Coolidge, part payment of note	500.00	
First National Bank, payment of bonds		
Nos. 3 and 4	1,000.00	
First National Bank, Int. on 24 coupons	240.00	
Independent-Reporter, 350 town reports	36.00	
W. H. Soper, supplies for town	11.50	
Bert W. Paul, Int. on temporary loan	15.00	
Fred Adams, watching fire at Sam Libby's	2.00	
F. A. Coolidge, Int. on order	40.00	
First National Bank, Int. on 6 coupons	60.00	
M. M. Spear, 500 town orders	1.80	
First National Bank, Int. on 3 coupons	30.00	
Turner Buswell, Ins. on School building		
for \$6000	168.00	
French & Longley, Ins. on school building		
for \$6000	168.00	
W. A. R. Heald, services as R. C	100.00	
First National Bank, Int. on 3 coupons	30.00	
First National Bank, Int. on 22 coupons	220.00	
Joel McIntire, use of watering tub for 1915	5.00	
C. T. Durham, use of watering tub for 1915	5.00	
L. P. Cates, one dray by vote of town	5.00	
Albert Adams, use of watering tub for 1915	5.00	
John Tuscan, special police July 3	2.00	
Henry Redmond, making and printing four		
auto signs	7.00	
Will Stuart, ¼ cd. stove wood for lockup	1.38	
The First National Bank, Int. on tem-		
porary loan	124.16	
W. P. Rowell, use of watering tub for 1914	5.00	
J. L. Foss, one lamb killed by dogs	6.00	
Amos Chapman, one sheep killed by dogs	7.50	
J. L. Foss, special police July 3	3.00	
Baker & Priest, rent of lockup	1.00	
Thomas W. Burr, 250 Brown Tail Moth	0.85	
notices	3.75	
H. W. Wood, salary from Feb. 1 to Dec	88.54	
M. P. Pollard, services as selectman	100.00	

H. W. Wood, salary for Dec. and Jan	18.74
The Acme Print Shop, 500 town orders	1.75
Mrs. J. M. Brown, Int. on order No. 660	
dated Feb. 20, 1915	2.00
Luther Hunnewell, use of watering tub for	
1915 and 1916	5.00
	5.00
Thes. McCarty, use of watering tub for	0.00
part of year 1915	3.00
L. L. Patterson, postage, express, etc for	
town	2.66
L. L. Patterson, services as Treasurer	25.00
F. A. Vittum, copying and posting town	
warrants Mar. 3 and Aug. 28	6.00
P. S. Longley, recording births, deaths	
and marriage certificates	7.80
W. H. Soper, 1 order book for R. C	.30
S. F. Greene, returning birth and death	
certificates	4.50
W. A. R. Heald, part payment for services	
as Road Commissioner	14.00
A. C. Adams, services as selectman	70.00
F. A. Vittum, commission for collecting	10.00
taxes	305.93
	303.33
M. P. Pollard, postage, telephone and	C 97
car fare	6.27
L. C. Jewett, use of watering tub for	
1915 and 1916	5.00
J. O. Piper, M. D. fumigating John	
McCarty house	5.00
I. L. Brown, services as selectman	75.00
Eliphalet Cooley, repairing fence on	
school house lot	4.00
Gec. Henderson use of watering tub for 1915	5.00
Thomas Young, office rent	12.00
J. O. Piper, returning birth and death	
death certificates	3.00
D. C. Baker, use of watering tub for	
year, 1915	5.00
C. R. Dealing, bolting guide boards	.50
The First National Bank, interest on tem-	.50
porary loan	53.89
	10.00
Turner Buswell, professional services	10.00

F. A. Coolidge, interest on note F. A. Coolidge, payment of order No. 588	30.17	
dated Feb. 9, 1914	750.00	
Bert W. Paul, Int. on order No. 36 dated April 5, 1915 L. W. McIntire, supplies for fumigating	19.24	
John McCarty's house	6.25	
17, 1906	8.00	
<u> </u>		\$4,556.63
Overdrawn	-	\$556.63
SUMMER ROAD, 1914		
F. M. Vittum, investigating pier	\$ 3.00	
F. M. Vittum, labor	10.00	
Tom Perkins, labor	5.00	
Herbert Adams, labor on State Road	1.00	
		\$19.00
SNOW ROAD, 1914		
Oliver French, labor	\$15.20	
S. C. Lawrence, labor	5.00	
R. E. Sidell, labor	1.95	
Willard Later, labor	. 4.95	
Wm. Roberts, labor	3.20	
L. C. Jewett, labor	2.00	
L. F. Boardman, labor	11.80	
James McClintick, labor	1.40	
Abbott Lawrence, labor	4.60	
L. P. Cates, labor	3.20	
Zina Norton, labor	2.60	
Fred W. Hastings, labor	6.20	
W. B. Longley, labor	4.00	
J. G. Spaulding, labor	3.60	
_		\$69.70

# Road Commissioner's Report

### SUMMER ROAD, 1915

Appropriation		\$2,000.00
Grover Knights, labor	\$ 8.00	
Llewellyn Maguire, labor	2.00	
Obed Moody, labor	24.00	
C. M. Conant, cutting edge for R. M	8.50	
Roscoe Sidell, dragging road	4.00	
Frank Adams, labor	6.00	
Willard Later, cutting bushes	2.00	
Ira Adams, labor	13.50	
Almon Collins, labor	2.00	
Elmer French, labor	9.00	
The Berger Mfg. Co. for culverts	56.45	
Percy Jackson, labor	11.00	
Thomas Young Jr., labor	4.00	
G. L. Lake, labor	7.00	
Percy Jackson, labor	4.00	
Solon Lumber Co., plank	2.54	
Thomas Mahoney, labor	19.60	
James McClintick, labor	20.00	
Almon Collins, labor	9.00	
Solon Lumber Co., plank	30.52	
Frank Adams, labor	6.30	
Llewellyn Maguire, labor	2.50	
Solon Lumber Co., plank	39.75	
James McClintick, labor	4.50	
Horace Manson, labor	9.30	
Icone Jackson, labor	1.00	
Willie Tuscan, labor	14.00	
James McClintick, labor	7.00	
Geo. Chase, running road machine	378.00	
George Chase, labor	52.80	
Almon Collins, labor	4.00	
Leon Cooley, labor	4.50	
Wm. Roberts, labor	3.10	
Charles G. French, labor	6.50	
Harry Gardiner, labor	11.00	

James Lake, labor	5.00
Llewellyn Maguire, labor	2.00
Tom Perkins, labor	7.50
Elias Lake, labor	8.60
John Waugh, labor	23.90
Palmer French, labor	3.20
Obed Moody, labor	4.00
Chester Flanders, labor	15.60
A. B. C. Keene, labor	17.40
Clyde McIntire, labor	3.80
Jonas Jackson, labor	7.60
James McClintick, labor	3.00
Thomas McCarty, labor,	9.80
Ralph McCarty, labor	5.60
A. C. Heald, labor	24.00
Llewellyn Maguire, labor	3.00
Asher Davis, labor	20.00
James McClintick, labor	7.00
John Howland, labor	9.60
Andrew Fisher, labor	18.50
E. T. Tripp, labor	8.00
Bert Moody, labor	2.00
Frank Boynington, repairing road machine	1.70
and sharping drills	1.70 4.60
Archie Adams, labor	12.60
C. M. Conant, road machine repairs	.72
Geo. Chase, labor	17.00
Frank Vittum, labor	8.00
Geo. Henderson, labor	14.50
John Howland, labor	2.00
W. A. R. Heald, team work	33.00
Granville Tuscan, labor	4.00
Lamont Forbes, labor and cutting bushes	14.70
Joseph Drew, labor	18.00
D. S. Tozier, labor	12.00
J. L. Foss, labor	25.00
J. C. Pierce, labor	6.00
Harold Spaulding, labor	.70
James McClintick, labor	1.00
Sumner Shepley, cutting bushes	4.50

O. H. French, labor	36.60
Ralph Corson, labor	10.00
N. Holmberg, labor	10.00
Alston Corson, labor	4.00
Albert Adams, labor	1.00
Nelson Curtis, road material	5.00
Myron Jewett, labor	8.00
L. C. Jewett, labor	10.05
E. C. Tuscan, labor	12.00
L. F. Boardman, lumber and labor	11.64
C. E. Rowell, road supplies	9.05
Tom Perkins, cutting bushes	4.00
Abbott Lawrence, labor	3.00
Fred Magoon, clay and labor	4.60
James McCollar, labor	19.00
Charles French, labor	37.00
E. C. Heald, labor	1.00
Chester Grant, labor	14.00
Oliver Irvine, labor	6.00
Harold Randlett, labor	5.00
John Tuscan, labor	4.50
Geo. Henderson, labor	4.00
M. P. Pollard, lumber and labor	25.53
Frank Thompson, labor	8.70
David Tozier, labor	6.00
Melvin, Clark, labor	13.27
Arthur Rowell, labor	2.00
Harold Randlett, labor	4.00
Alfred Eaton, labor	4.20
W. A. R. Heald, labor	4.60
Will Stuart, labor	6.00
Warren Rice, labor	19.40
Ernest Carl, labor	23.60
Mrs. J. H. Rowell, Atlas powder	14.30
Abel Stevens, labor	33.50
John T. Miller, labor	8.00
Fred Adams, labor	19.10
James McClintick, labor	3.00
Walter Williams, labor	2.00
Solon Lumber Co., lumber	15.42
Walter Williams, labor	6.00

M. L. French, labor Nelson Cram, labor Zina Norton, labor G. R. Brown, labor Jacob Goodwin, labor Philip Lacasce, labor J. T. Baker, labor Charles G. French, labor James McCollar, cutting bushes Fred W. Hastings, labor F. A. Thompson, labor John Mahoney, labor B. F. Williams, labor J. E. Lawrence, labor Chas. G. French, labor W. B. Longley, labor Bert W. Paul, labor J. G. Spaulding, labor Ralph Corson, labor O. O. Vittum & Son, labor and gravel Thomas McCarty, labor Joseph Matson, labor Sarah Pierce, gravel	19.00 6.80 17.10 8.00 4.90 4.00 24.80 3.20 5.00 3.00 24.85 4.00 2.65 3.00 2.00 8.00 7.77 2.00 4.00 18.50 5.80 1.50 2.40	
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J. L. Foss, labor	18.00	
L. L. Patterson, labor	5.50	
Carl Adams, labor	7.00	
John C. McCollar, labor	12.00	
A. C. B. Keene, labor	2.00	
Geo. W. Cunningham, repairing r. m	10.00	
A. H. Baker, labor	2.00	
Lester Hilton, labor	4.00	
C. R. Delling, sharpening drills	.60	
Undrawn		\$1,857.91 142.09

Respectfully submitted,

M. P. POLLARD

I. L. BROWN

A. C. ADAMS

Selectmen of Solon.

### SNOW ROADS 1915-1916

Appropriation		\$800.00
Will Hunnewell, labor	\$4.00	
G. R. Brown, labor	4.00	
G. F. Rowell, labor	1.00	
W. P. Rowell, labor	1.80	
Tom Perkins, labor	2.80	
Geo. Henderson, labor	8.00	
B. W. Paul, labor	3.80	
Walter C. Williams, labor	3.20	
Orrison McClintick, labor	2.00	
Fred W. Hastings, labor	2.60	
Thomas Perkins, labor	4.00	
Archie Adams, labor	17.50	
Ira Adams, labor :	8.40	
J. M. Brown, labor	1.20	
Chas. G. French, labor	8.80	
A. P. Fisher, labor	5.00	
Keno Tozier, labor	5.80	
Thomas McCarty, labor	9.20	
Joseph Matson, labor	3.50	
Fred Drury, labor	4.00	
Ernest Carl, labor	4.00	
N. Holmberg, labor	3.60	
Warren Rice, labor	3.20	
J. L. Foss, labor	5.40	
Chester Grant, labor	1.00	
Fred Powers, labor	5.00	
J. G. Spaulding, labor	3.80	
John C. McCollar, labor	4.00	
M. L. French, labor	5.00	
Clyde McIntire, labor	3.80	
Ernest Whipple, labor	1.20	
A. C. B. Keene, labor	6.00	
Archie Adams, labor	1.80	
Oliver Irvine, labor	1.20	
S. W. Jones, labor	3.00	
Orrison Whipple, labor	7.60	
A. Z. Rowell, labor	11.00	
W. A. R. Heald, labor	3.00	
A. C. Williams, labor	2.75	

L. C. Jewett, labor Icone Jackson, labor Willard Later, labor E. W. Merrill, labor Chas. French, labor Walter Williams, labor John McCarty, labor Lester Hilton, labor W. B. Longley, labor Alfred Eaton, labor	5.90 7.00 .90 5.00 3.00 1.20 7.60 3.50 17.00 10.00	\$238.05
Undrawn		\$561.95
STATE ROAD		
Appropriation by State		\$533.00
Appropriation by town		533.00
Automobile fund		200.00
	_	\$1266.00
The Berger Mfg. Co. two culverts	\$39.94	12200100
Geo. Chase, labor	8.00	
Jonah Spaulding, labor	24.00	1
J. C. Pierce, labor	16.00	
Owen McAllister	40.00	•
Albert Padham, labor	14.00	
Almon Collins, labor	22.00	
Owen McAllister, labor	26.00	
Edgar Kelley, labor	15.00	
J. C. Pierce, labor	25.00	
Geo. Chase, labor	3.00	
J. L. Foss, labor	12.00	
Jonah Spaulding, labor	72.00	
Albert Padham, labor	10.00	
W. W. Jackman, labor	12.00	
Frank Hawes, labor	71.00	
Harold Randlett, labor	$35.00 \\ 22.00$	
J. C. Pierce, labor	57.00	
David 1021c1, labor	57.00	

Baker & Priest, 21 bags cement @ 55c per		
bag	11.55	
W. A. R. Heald, labor	96.00	
Owen McAllister, labor	20.00	
Edgar Kelley, labor	13.00	
Carl Adams, labor	25.00	
Albert Padham, labor	16.00	
Owen McAllister, labor	28.00	
Jonah Spaulding, labor	16.00	
James McClintick, labor	61.00	
Almon Collins, labor	49.00	
Jonas Jackson, labor	124.00	
Henry Bouchard, labor	78.00	
Zina Norton, labor	80.00	
Fred Adams, labor	12.00	
Carl Adams, labor ·	30.00	
Albert Padham, labor	19.00	
The Berger Mfg. Co. bal. due on culverts	4.99	
Inspection	17.25	
<u> </u>		\$1224.73
Undrawn		\$41.27
REPAIRING STATE ROAD		
REPAIRING STATE ROAD Balance from year 1914		\$21.48
REPAIRING STATE ROAD  Balance from year 1914  State's apportionment for 1915		\$21.48 80.21
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REPAIRING STATE ROAD  Balance from year 1914  State's apportionment for 1915	- -	\$21.48 80.21 100.00
REPAIRING STATE ROAD  Balance from year 1914	\$3.40	\$21.48 80.21
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REPAIRING STATE ROAD  Balance from year 1914	1.00	\$21.48 80.21 100.00
REPAIRING STATE ROAD  Balance from year 1914	1.00 8.50	\$21.48 80.21 100.00
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REPAIRING STATE ROAD  Balance from year 1914  State's apportionment for 1915  Appropriation by town  Thomas Mahoney, labor Icone Jackson, labor James McClintick, labor Chester Flanders, labor Jonas Jackson, labor J. C. Pierce, labor Bernard Davis, labor	1.00 8.50 1.40 10.60 1.00 2.00	\$21.48 80.21 100.00
REPAIRING STATE ROAD  Balance from year 1914	1.00 8.50 1.40 10.60 1.00 2.00 1.00	\$21.48 80.21 100.00
REPAIRING STATE ROAD  Balance from year 1914	1.00 8.50 1.40 10.60 1.00 2.00 1.00 36.50	\$21.48 80.21 100.00
REPAIRING STATE ROAD  Balance from year 1914	1.00 8.50 1.40 10.60 1.00 2.00 1.00	\$21.48 80.21 100.00

Granville Tuscan, labor	1.00	
J. C. Pierce, labor	4.00	
Geo. Chase, labor	3.00	
Jonah Spaulding, labor	4.00	
W. A. R. Heald, labor	8.00	
Harold Randlette, labor	6.00	
Albert Padham, labor	2.00	
M. P. Pollard, labor	6.00	
D. S. Tozier, labor	8.00	
Fred Drury, labor	2.00	
Almon Collins, labor	4.00	
Henry Bouchard, labor	4.00	
James McClintick, labor	9.00	
Baker & Priest, 9 bags cement	4.95	
Carl Adams, labor	4.10	
Jacob Goodwin, labor	5.10	
Charles G. French, labor	1.00	
Thomas Young, jr. labor	3.60	
		\$147.15
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Undrawn		\$54.54
State's apportionment undrawn	\$28.11	, 5 1.5 1
Town's appropriation undrawn	26.43	
		\$54.54
		401.01
CURTIS HILL—SPECIAL APPROP	RIATION	
Appropriation town		\$300.00
Appropriation State		300.00
The Berger Mfg. Co., culverts	\$29.40	000.00
James McClintick, labor	18.40	
Llewellyn Maguire, labor	4.40	
Willie Tuscan, labor	32.80	
Tilden Davis, labor	9.00	
	9.00	
J. C. Pierce, labor		
Llewellyn Maguire, labor	1.00	
Granville Tuscan, labor	10.00	
James McClintick, labor	24.00	
Willie Tuscan, labor	39.00	
Geo. Chase, labor	72.00	
Geo. Henderson, labor	31.40	

Fred Brown, labor	16.40	
Luther Albee, labor	4.00	
Fred Drury, labor	26.00	
Harry Meader, labor	39.40	
Granville Tuscan, labor	27.40	
Chester Flanders, labor	33.40	
Joseph Drew, labor	19.40	
Walter Drew, labor	27.40	
E. C. Heald, labor	2,00	
W. A. R. Heald, labor	57.00	
W. A. R. Heald, team work	9.00	
Baker & Priest, 11 bags cement	6.05	
Charles Holway, labor	2.00	
Fred Adams, labor	2.00	
Charles G. French, labor	36.40	
Inspection	14.25	
		\$602.50
Overdrawn		\$2.50 <sup>′</sup>

### REPAIRS ON SOLON AND EMBDEN BRIDGE

M. P. Pollard, cash paid for freight on 200	
lbs. ship spikes	\$ .38
C. E. Rowell, supplies	11.32
Geo. Chase, 21/2 days with team @ \$4.00	10.00
Nathaniel Lombard, 5 days @ \$2.50	12.50
Harry Meader, 4 days @ \$2.50	10.00
David Tozier, 3 days @ \$2.50	7.50
James McClintick, 4 days @ \$2.50	10.00
George Moulton, 9 days @ \$2.50	22.50
Harold Randlett, 10 days @ \$2.50	25.00
Baker & Priest, 216 bags cement @ .55	118.80
M. P. Pollard, labor with man and team as	
per bill	50.00
S. D. Crockett, diver with outfit	57.50
M. P. Pollard, cash paid for express on div-	
er's outfit from and to Oldtown	12.27
Henry Currier, 17 days @ \$4.00 and car	
fare from Milo	72.10
Frank Clukey, 17 days @ \$3.00 and car fare	

from Milo	55.10	
W. H. Soper, lumber	8.98	
Hiram Rice, labor and gravel	5.50	
Alvano Felker, 2 days @ \$2.50	5.00	
Solon Lumber Co., lumber	120.06	
Frank Boyington, supplies	5.47	
Fred Powers, 3 days' labor with team @		
\$4.00 per day repropping pier	12.00	
Geo. Moulton, 110 yds. rocks @ 10 cents	11.00	
W. A. R. Heald, 4 days' labor with team @		
\$4.00 per day repropping pier	16.00	
M. L. French, 4 days' labor with team @		
\$4.00 per day, repropping pier	16.00	
Nathaniel Lombard, 4 days' @ \$2.00	8.00	
Geo. Cross, 4 days @ .\$2.00	8.00	
Geo. Stevens, 4 days @ \$2.00	8.00	
J. H. Gray, hotel bill on account of divers	4.50	
A. W. Starbird, lumber	8.91	
M. P. Pollard, 4 days' labor repropping pier	8.00	
N. H. Bragg & Son, 200 lbs. ship spikes	5.20	
		\$725.59
WILLIAMS HILL		
Appropriation		\$25.00
Icone Jackson	\$6.00	
Jonas Jackson	16.00	
Carl Adams	6.00	
		\$28.00
Overdrawn		\$28.00 \$3.00
Overdrawn		\$28.00 \$3.00
Overdrawn		
OverdrawnSTATE PAUPERS		
STATE PAUPERS	:	
STATE PAUPERS On acct. Charlotte and Freeman Young	:	
STATE PAUPERS  On acct. Charlotte and Freeman Young L. L. Patterson, groceries from Feb. 10,	: \$176.13	
STATE PAUPERS  On acct. Charlotte and Freeman Young L. L. Patterson, groceries from Feb. 10, 1915 to Jan 1. 1916		
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STATE PAUPERS  On acct. Charlotte and Freeman Young L. L. Patterson, groceries from Feb. 10, 1915 to Jan 1. 1916	\$176.13	

J. O. Piper, medicine and attendance from		
July 1 to Jan. 1, 1916	17.50	
Azel Jones, 1 pair shoes	2.00	
Will Steward, ½ cord wood @ \$5.50	2.75	
J. M. Lawrence, 1 cord stove wood	6.50	
Thomas McCarty, ½ cord stove wood	3.25	
J. M. Brown, 1 cord 4 foot wood	5.00	
Granville Tuscan, ½ cord stove wood Mrs. Geo. Corson, caring for Mrs. Young	3.00	
8 days and nights @ \$1.50	12.00	
Mrs. Lovonia Hughes, caring for Mrs.		
Young 5 days @ \$1.00 per day	5.00	
J. M. Brown, 1 cord 4 foot wood	5.00	
J. O. Piper, medical attendance from Jan.		
10 to Feb. 14	9.50	
L. L. Patterson, groceries furnished Char-		
lotte and F. F. Young from Jan. 1st to		
Feb.15, 1916	28.62	
		\$442.11
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On acct. Amos Adams:		
S. F. Greene, medicine and attendance from		
Feb. 15 to Jan 1, 1916	\$48.00	
Mark Hobart, rent of farm from Jan 1,		
1915 to Jan. 1, 1916	40.80	00000
_		\$88.80
TOWN PAUPERS		
Appropriation		\$500.00
Roger Chase:		
F. M. Vittum, board from Feb. 15 to Mar. 8	\$10.50	
M. H. Andrews, 1 pr. pants, shirt, overalls,		
straw hat	3.75	
Azel Jones, 1 pr. shoes	2.75	
Roscoe Safford, board for 11 weeks @ \$3.50		
per week	38.50	
F. F. Young, repairing shoes	.90	
Archie Adams, board for 5 days	2.00	
Mrs. Nora Hodgkins, board for 8 weeks @		
\$1.50 per week	12.00	

Mrs. Nora Hodgkins, board from Dec. 14 to		
Jan. 25	15.00	
M. P. Pollard, board for Roger Chase 1 week Mrs. Nora Hodgkins, board from Jan. 25	2.50	
to Feb. 15	7.50	
		\$95.40
Lester Corson:		
Carrie C. Pierce, nursing	\$33.75	
S. F. Greene, operating	66.25	
		\$100.00
Lexington Plantation:		
To supplies furnished Archie Longley and		
family	\$31.47	
		\$31.47
Town of Cambridge:		
To supplies furnished Arthur Corson chil-		
dren	\$5.50	
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		\$5.50
Columbus Chase:		<b>Ф9.</b> 90
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M. H. Andrews, two shirts and straw hat M. H. Andrews, supplies for Columbus	1.25	
and Roger Chase last year	8.75	
last year	12.00	
M. H. Andrews, 1 pr. pants	2.50	
Azel Jones 1 pr. shoes	2.00	
L. L. Patterson, 23 cuts of tobacco for Co-		
lumbus Chase	2.30	
S. F. Greene, medical attendance for Co-		
lumbus Chase	17.00	
Mrs. Nora Hodgkins, board from Jan. 25 to		
Feb. 15	7.50	
		\$277.70
J. O. Piper, medical attendance for Eva		
Perkins	\$12.00	
		\$12.00
F. A. Vittum, caring, furnishing food and		
oil for 64 tramps	\$45.00	
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Overdrawn		\$67.07
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Mrs. Frank Washburn:		
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J. O. Piper, medical attendance	\$54.00 150.00	
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J. O. Piper, medical attendance  Carrie C. Pierce, nursing  Mary Hilton, nursing 7 days  Alice Lombard, nursing 7 days  Mary Hilton, nursing 38 days	150.00 7.00 7.00	
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J. O. Piper, medical attendance  Carrie C. Pierce, nursing  Mary Hilton, nursing 7 days  Alice Lombard, nursing 7 days  Mary Hilton, nursing 38 days  S. F. Greene, operating and supplies  Received from Caratunk	150.00 7.00 7.00 38.00	•
J. O. Piper, medical attendance  Carrie C. Pierce, nursing  Mary Hilton, nursing 7 days  Alice Lombard, nursing 7 days  Mary Hilton, nursing 38 days  S. F. Greene, operating and supplies  Received from Caratunk  Support of Frances Judkins:	150.00 7.00 7.00 38.00 102.00	•
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#### CENTRAL MAINE POWER COMPANY

Appropriation		\$400.00
Electric Current for:		
Feb	\$34.34	
Mar,	34.34	
April	34.34	
May	38.32	
June	38.32	
July	38.32	
Aug	38.32	
Sept	38.32	
Oct	38.32	
Nov	38.32	
Dec	40.32	
Jan	37.00	
<u>-</u>		\$448.58
Overdrawn		\$48.58

### Respectfully submitted,

M. P. POLLARD

I. L. BROWN

A. C. ADAMS

Selectmen of Solon.

#### FIREMEN

Appropriation	\	\$50.00
John A Tuscan, labor on ladder house and		
hardware	\$16.64	
Baker & Priest, roofing	12.00	
F. A. Vittum, labor with man and team,		
May 7, cleaning up	4.00	
F. A. Vittum, labor with man and team		
May 19 and 20, cleaning up	6.00	
J. L. Foss, labor with man and team, May		
19 and 20, cleaning up	6.00	
<u> </u>		\$47.64
Undrawn		\$5.36

### SERVICES FOR FIRE WARDS. Appropriation ..... \$10.00 J. L. Foss for services ...... \$3.00 Undrawn ..... \$7.00 MEMORIAL DAY Appropriation ..... \$10.00 O. O. Vittum, flags and supplies for decorating graves ..... \$11.25 O. O. Vittum, cash paid J. L. Foss for use of autos on Decoration Day..... 2.00 \$13.25 Overdrawn ..... \$3.25 ABATEMENTS OF TAXES Fred A. Vittum by tax for H. L. Wyman 1914, paid in Brighton ..... \$28.97 H. L. Wyman, reimbursement for taxes paid in 1913, paid in Brighton ...... 36.39 F. A. Vittum, Alton Clark, Mason Ray under age. Malon Hewett paid in Lexington; C. A. Moore, whereabouts unknown ..... 12.00 Solon Lumber Co., abatement on Steam Saw Mill by vote of town ..... 33.00 F. A. Vittum. Dis. on \$11,000, collected on or before Dec. 1st @ 3 per cent...... 330.00 Geo. Cunningham, poll tax on account ill health ..... 3.00 Frank Adams, abatement on account over

valuation .....

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## Financial Standing

#### LIABILITIES

Outstanding orders on interest	\$1,250.00	
Solon School House bonds	15,500.00	
Interest due on bonds March 1st, 1916		
		\$17,060.00
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ASSETS		
Cash on hand	\$975.58	
Due from State on account of poor	43.12	
Due from State on account of State Road		
1915	41.27	
Due from State on account State Aid		
maintenance	28.11	
Due from State on account State Road 1914	33.64	
Due for tuition	230.00	
Due from some town in Aroostook Co., on	110.05	
account of Frances Judkins	118.27	
_		\$1,469.99
•	_	\$15,590.01
Net liabilities as reported last year	318.118.99	
Last year's bills paid this year		
Actual liabilities last year		\$18,207.69
Net liabilities this year		15.590.01
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Decrease in liabilities		\$2,617.68

Paid this year twelve hundred and fifty dollars on interest bearing orders.

TOWN PROPERTY:—Lot on School St., Tar Kettle, Road Machine, Two Stone Rollers, Wheelbarrows, Sledges, Bars, Road Drags, Snow Roller, Lockup, Storehouse, Plow and other tools Tar on hand not reckoned as an asset. \$74.00

Respectfully submitted,

M. P. POLLARD,

I. L. BROWN

A. C. ADAMS,

Selectmen of Solon.

# Treasurer's Report

L. L. Patterson, Treasurer in account with Town of Solon, Me. for year 1915.

Cash on hand, Feb. 15, 1915	\$1,510.03
from F. A. Vittum, Collector for	
Taxes 1915	15,296.32
from State Treasurer, account dog	
licenses 1914	29.30
from State Treasurer, account com-	
mon school fund	793.20
from State Treasurer, account school	
and mill fund	922.38
from State Treasurer, account free	
high school	500.00
from State Treasurer, account State	
poor	698.71
from State Treasurer, account State	
roads	515.75
from State Treasurer, account high-	
way department	73.58
from State Treasurer, account roads,	
town of Solon	285.75
from State Treasurer, account R. R.	
& Telegraph Tax	285.01
from State Treasurer, account regis-	
tration of Autos	158.73
from State Treasurer, account dam-	
age to domestic animals	13.50
from State Treasurer, account State	
Pensions	36.00
from tuition from out of town	
scholars	270.00
from Caratunk Plantation, account	
Mrs. Frank Washbourn	358.00
from 1st Nat'l Bank, Skowhegan,	
temporary loans	5,998.80
from 1st. Nat'l. Bank, Skowhegan,	
account dividends	62.00

	from 1st. Nat'l. Bank, Skowhegan,		
	account dividends on daily bal-		
	ance	8.34	
	from P. E. Priest, account sale of		
	grass	10.50	
	from M. P. Pollard, account sale of		
	lumber	2.50	
	from M. P. Pollard, account sale of		
	one axe	1.00	
	from P. S. Longley, account dog li-		
	cense, 1914	9.00	
	from P. S. Longley, account dog li-		
	cense, 1915	39.00	
Cash	paid County Treas, account County		
	tax		637.04
	paid State Treas., account State tax		2,277.89
	paid State Treas. account dog li-		
	cense, 1914		9.00
	paid State Treas. account dog li-		
	cense, 1915		39.00
	paid Christiana Chase, account State		
	pension		36.00
	paid on Selectmen's orders		23,903.89
	paid to balance Feb. 19, 1916		975.58

\$27,878.40 \$27,878.40

Respectfully submitted,

L. L. PATTERSON, Treas.

## Auditor's Report

#### FOR THE YEAR ENDING FEBRUARY 15, 1916

#### Expended as follows:

Debt and interest       \$3,222.46         Salaries       807.21         Insurance on school buildings       336.00         Miscellaneous       190.96         Last year's bills paid this year       88.70         Summer roads       1,857.91         Snow roads       238.05         State roads       606.57         Curtis hill       302.50         Solon and Embden bridge       725.59         Williams hill       28.00         Town paupers       567.07         Out of town pauper       118.27         Central Maine Power Company       448.58         Fire protection       50.64         Memorial Day       13.25         Common schools       3,174.73         School repairs, books and supplies       595.72         High school       1,462.51         —       \$14,834.72			
Insurance on school buildings         336.00           Miscellaneous         190.96           Last year's bills paid this year         88.70           Summer roads         1,857.91           Snow roads         238.05           State roads         606.57           Curtis hill         302.50           Solon and Embden bridge         725.59           Williams hill         28.00           Town paupers         567.07           Out of town pauper         118.27           Central Maine Power Company         448.58           Fire protection         50.64           Memorial Day         13.25           Common schools         3,174.73           School repairs, books and supplies         595.72           High school         1,462.51	Debt and interest	\$3,222.46	
Miscellaneous       190.96         Last year's bills paid this year       88.70         Summer roads       1,857.91         Snow roads       238.05         State roads       606.57         Curtis hill       302.50         Solon and Embden bridge       725.59         Williams hill       28.00         Town paupers       567.07         Out of town pauper       118.27         Central Maine Power Company       448.58         Fire protection       50.64         Memorial Day       13.25         Common schools       3,174.73         School repairs, books and supplies       595.72         High school       1,462.51	Salaries	807.21	
Last year's bills paid this year       88.70         Summer roads       1,857.91         Snow roads       238.05         State roads       606.57         Curtis hill       302.50         Solon and Embden bridge       725.59         Williams hill       28.00         Town paupers       567.07         Out of town pauper       118.27         Central Maine Power Company       448.58         Fire protection       50.64         Memorial Day       13.25         Common schools       3,174.73         School repairs, books and supplies       595.72         High school       1,462.51	Insurance on school buildings	336.00	
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School repairs, books and supplies         595.72           High school         1,462.51	Memorial Day	13.25	
High school	Common schools	3,174.73	
	School repairs, books and supplies	595.72	
		1,462.51	
			\$14,834.72

You will find details of the several items in the reports of the town officers, which have been examined and found to be correct.

Deducting the amounts coming to the town from the State and town school funds, the net expense to the town for schools was:

Common schools	·
	\$2,221.66
Repairs, books and supplies	595.72

\$2,817.38

TURNER BUSWELL, Auditor.

#### REPORT OF SOLON PUBLIC LIBRARY

137 volumes have been added to the library the past year, 19 of them were for the pay shelf which is self supporting.

Dr. A. B. Withington of Pittsfield, Mass., presented the library with 40 volumes.

38 volumes of State Reports have been received during the past year.

The average number loaned each week is 125.

We now have 1467 volumes catalogued.

We wish the towns people would donate more of their old magazines to the library.

ETHEL H. ROWELL, Librarian.

ANGIE B. PRIEST ELIZABETH H. COOLIDGE MARIAN F. YOUNG MINNIE E. JONES M. P. POLLARD PERLEY E. PRIEST.

#### CASH RECEIVED 1915

Borrower's cards	2.30	
Library fines	17.33	
State	10.00	
Town	150.00	
Cash on hand Jan. 1, 1915	\$33.15	

#### CASH PAID OUT 1915

Rent of library building	\$30.00
Librarian	26.00
Insurance	13.75
Wood	6.00
Library supplies	4.33
Books	52.07
Cash on hand Jan. 1, 1916	80.63

\$212.78

### PAY SHELF

Cash on hand Jan. 1, 1915	.25	
Cash received	21.61	
	<del></del>	\$21.86
Cash paid out	\$20.08	•
Cash on hand Jan. 1, 1916	1.78	
<del>-</del>		\$21.86

MINNIE E. JONES, Treasurer.

## Town Clerk's Report for 1915

Number of marriages recorded from January 1st, 1915 to January 1st, 1916, twelve.

Number of births recorded from January 1st, 1915 to January 1st, 1916, twenty seven.

Number of deaths recorded from January 1st, 1915 to January 1st, 1916, thirteen.

Number of dogs licensed during the year 1915, forty-five.

Amount of money collected for dog licenses for the year 1915, forty-eight dollars.

P. S. LONGLEY, Town Clerk.

#### BIRTHS

Recorded from January 1st, 1915 to January 1st 1916 Jan. 6, 1915, to Archie and Sarah Adams, a daughter. Feb. 13, to Albert and Elizabeth Gherke, a son. Feb. 15, to Charles and Eva Young, a daughter. Feb. 18, to Thomas and Maggie McCarty, a son. Feb. 25, to Wayne and Kate Savage, a son. March 12, to Herbert and Hattie Boardman, a son. April 3, to Bert and Phebe Clark, a son. April 5, to Edward and Hellene Green, a daughter. April 15, to Myrwyn and Iva Rollins, a son. April 16, to Earle and Carrie Carl, a daughter. April 30, to Arthur and Amo Rowell, a son. May 7, to Walter and Berdina Spaulding, a daughter. May 8, to Grover and Bessie Knight, a daughter. June 15, to Alton and Florence Corson, a daughter. June 27, to Clyde and Nellie McIntire, a daughter. June 28, to Ivan and Blanch Ward, a daughter. July 1, to John and Edith Waugh, a daughter. July 2, to Luther and Mary Allbee, a daughter. July 19, to Joseph and Lilla Merrill, a son. Aug. 31, to Mason and Florence Ray, a daughter. Sept. 23, to Scott and Della McAllister, a son. Oct. 1, to Almon and Alvena Collins, a son.

Oct. 5, to Ray and Addie Whitmore, a daughter.

Oct. 9, to Oland and Eunice Bickford, a son.

Oct. 9, to Olon and Floy Robinson, a son.

Oct. 26, to Alna and Edith Brown, a son.

Dec. 26, to Marcellus and Della Irvine, a daughter.

#### MARRIAGES

Recorded from January 1st, 1915 to January 1st 1916

March 20, 1915, by Rev. J. L. Pinkerton, Ivan L. Brown of Solon and Hester D. Grant of Solon.

April 14, by P. S. Longley, Justice of the Peace, Arthur Kenney of Solon and Eva Goodrich of Solon.

June 10, by Rev. Gardiner Wills, Fred N. Murphy of Solon and Clara M. Record of North Anson.

June 12, by Rev. H. C. Glidden, Almon E. Collins of Solon and Alvena Moody of Solon.

June 19, by P. S. Longley, Justice of the Peace, Martin G. Atwood of Solon and Marcia G. Steward of Solon.

July 6, by Rev. John A. Harding, Lester A. Chase of Solon and Alta B. Collins of Cornville.

Aug. 28, by Rev. H. C. Glidden, John Rowe Hodgdon, of Embden and Martha M. Young of Solon.

Sept. 4, by J. F. Holman, Justice of the Peace, Edward J. McQuilkin of Solon and Eva S. Brown of Cornville.

Oct. 8, by P. S. Longley, Justice of the Peace, Edwin H. Caswell of Bingham and Encie S. Clark of Bingham.

Oct. 9, by P. S. Longley, Justice of the Peace, Ralph W. E. Stevens of Solon and Flora Stevens of Solon.

Oct. 11, by Rev. T. B. Hatt, Edward L. McIntire of Solon and Alta E. Gray of Solon.

Nov. 20, by Rev. H. C. Glidden, Clifford Earl Dyer of Solon and Maud Ethel McClintick of Solon.

#### DEATHS

Recorded from January 1st, 1915 to January 1st 1916

January, 19, 1915, Henry Nottage, aged 56 years, 11 months, 5 days. Cause Sarcoma of fourth rib.

- Jan. 22, Tilson C. Jones, aged 79 years, 8 months, 4 days. Cause Myocorditis Arterio Slerosis.
- Jan. 25, William S. Hopkins, aged 82 years, 2 months, 19 days. Cause Dilated Heart, Gall Stones, Old Age.
- Feb. 5, Michael Hannan, aged 76 years. Cause Tuberculosis of Right Lung.
  - April 6, Merle Meader, 28 days. Cause Capillary Bronchitis.
- May 5, Alma E. McCollor, aged 46 years, 8 days. Cause Cancer of Breast.
- May 11, Cephas Bean, aged 85 years, 11 months, 21 days. Cause Pneumonia.
- June 7, Hallie M. Longley, aged 65 years, 1 month, 7 days. Cause Nephritis.
- June 27, Christy McCarty, aged 46 years. Cause Tuberculosis of Lungs.
- July 29, Ruel W. Robbins, aged 68 years, 10 months, 25 days. Cause Cancer of Colon.
- Sept. 11, Helen Baker, aged 57 years, 3 months, 12 days. Cause Arterio Sclerosis Myocorditis.
- Oct. 25, Baby Bickford, aged 5 days. Cause Premature birth.
- Dec. 24, Sarah P. Thompson, aged 69 years, 1 month, 26 days. Cause Cancer of Liver.

# Solon School Report

To the Citizens of the Town of Solon:

We have pleasure in reporting a very satisfactory year in school work. The teachers are especially to be commended for their work. We feel that the corps of teachers at the village building is a strong, efficient and earnest body of workers.

The Washington school is still the largest rural school in town and it has been during the present school year under the skilled direction of Miss Rena McCollar.

The Franklin school buildings have been put in excellent repair and the school room is now neat and attractive.

It is probably not necessary to remind you that we must hereafter maintain at least thirty weeks of common school and our terms were re-arranged to meet this condition.

On the urgent recommendation of the State Superintendent of Schools we have engaged a third teacher in the High school. This need seemed imperative.

We are hoping for a closer interest and a better mutual understanding between the citizens and the schools through the early forming of a Parent-Teachers' Association.

We request your careful consideration of our financial and general reports.

#### COMMON SCHOOLS

### RESOURCES

Balance brought forward, March 1915	\$289.23	
Appropriation, March, 1915	1,000.00	
State Common School Fund	793.20	
State Mill Tax Fund	922.38	
Interest on School Fund Note	63.00	
Received from sale of grass (village) 1913,		
1914, 1915	32.00	
_		\$3,099.81

### EXPENDITURES

#### Paid Teachers:

Amna	M	Voung	 \$85.00
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	Clara Record	100.00	
	Martha Hodgdon	260.00	
	Gertrude Brofee	160.00	
	Marion Buzzell	220.00	
	Susie McQuilkin	85.00	
	Bessie Nichols	102.00	
	Ruth Manson	118.80	
	H. W. Wood (acct. Miss Merrifield)	10.80	
	Agnes Mahoney	68.40	
	Rena McCollor	198.00	
	Mrs. M. L. Wood	68.00	
	Louise Huggins	90.00	
	Alice W. York	272.00	
	E. E. Grattan	48.00	
	-		\$1,886.00
Paid	Janitors:		
ı uru	Jacob Goodwin	\$290.00	
	Mrs. N. Holmberg	3.00	
	Louise Huggins	3.00	
	John Tuscan	2.00	
	Mrs. M. L. Wood	4.00	
	Alice W. York	5.00	
	Rena McCollor	5.00	
	_		\$312.00
Paid	Fuel:		
ı ara	P. E. Priest	\$13.33	
	H. Gardner	19.00	
	Oliver Irvine	16.50	
	Myron Jewett	12.50	
	Elmer French	13.25	
	French & Heald	147.15	
	<u> </u>		\$221.73
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Paid	Conveyance: Frank Longley	\$20.00	
	Baker & Priest (Order John Julian)		
	P. E. Priest (Order H. Bouchard)	16.00	
	Andrew Fisher	96.00	
	Andrew Pishel	30.00	

Wm. McQuilkin	90.00	
Scott Jones	150.00	
Harry Meader	118.00	
Mrs. Wesley Moody	100.00	
Thomas McCarty	66.00	
John McCarty	66.00	
Luther Albee	2.50	
Mont Forbus	5.00	
A. C. Adams	1.50	
		\$755.00
Grand Total of Expenditures in Common		
School Department		\$3,174.73
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Overdrawn		\$74.92
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REPAIRS ACCOUNT		
Appropriation, March, 1915		\$200.00
Overdrawn		\$13.56
Paid:		,
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Jacob Goodwin	\$6.00	
Baker & Priest	15.35	
Nash & Viles	3.68	
L. L. Patterson	6.52	
Columbia Sch. Sup. Co	51.30	
John Hight	2.50	
Elmer French	3.50	
Oliver Irvine	1.00	
Steward & Marston	4.19	
A. C. Adams	3.00	
H. Randlett	37.60	
W. P. Fentiman	19.00	
Solon Lumber Co	9.47	
W. A. R. Heald	14.00	
L. W. McIntire	13.70	
Wm. York	20.00	
Charles D. Norton	2.75	
		\$213.56

## BOOKS AND SUPPLIES ACCOUNT

Apropriation, March, 1915		\$300.00
Overdrawn		\$82.16
Paid:  E. S. Paul	\$1.35	
	.80	
W. H. Soper		
Cent. Me. Power Co.	4.55	
C. E. Rowell	8.01	
F. C. Clark	4.85	
R. G. Reed	.81	
J. Goodwin	2.40	
Howard & Brown	10.31	
L. L. Patterson	14.43	
Ginn & Co	93.20	
H. W. Wood	18.11	
Am. Bk Co	51.87	
D. H. Knowlton & Co.	2.08	
H. L. Palmer	39.68	
L. E. Knott App. Co	36.96	
Allyn & Bacon	21.60	
D. C. Heath & Co.	17.68	
Benj. H. Sanborn & Co	17.05	
Silver Burlett & Co	8.07	
J. L. Hammett& Co.	4.60	
Ind. Reporter Co.	5.62	
Scott Foresman & Co	3.80	
Edward E. Babb & Co	14.33	
		\$382.16
HIGH SCHOOL ACCOUNT		
Appropriation, March, 1915		\$1,000.00
Received from State Treasurer	\$500.00	,
E. C. Andrews	30.00	
Embden	50.00	
Brighton	15.00	
Moscow	\$10.00	<b>01 007 00</b>
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R. G. Reed, (wages)	\$333.31	
Mildred Manson, (wages)	444.00	
Ruth Manson, (wages)	60.00	
Elmer O. Small, (wages)	399.96	
Jacob Goodwin (Janitor)	145.00	
Fuel	80.24	
		\$1,462.51
Undrawn		\$142.49
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		\$1,605.00

## Tuitions due:

Paid:

Empuen	\$155.00	
Brighton	15.00	
Robert Davis		
Wm. McDonald	20.00	
P. J. Mahoney	20.00	
		\$230.00

Wages due in H. S. Department, Feb. 18, 1916:

Jacob	Goodwin	\$10.50
E. O.	Small	44.44

\$54.94

## REPORT OF THE PRINCIPAL OF SOLON HIGH SCHOOL

To the Superintendent of Schools:

It gives me great pleasure to submit for your consideration my first annual report as Principal of Solon High School.

The present year opened the 7th day of September with an enrollment of 55 pupils, 33 girls and 22 boys. Three pupils have discontinued their studies making the present enrollment of 52 pupils. Of this number 12 are pursuing the College Preparatory Course and 40 are pursuing the English Course. The enrollment by classes is as follows: Seniors, 16; Juniors, 7; Sophomores, 16; Freshmen, 13.

At the beginning of the second term another assistant teacher was added to the teaching force of the school. State School Inspector Taylor had said that a third teacher was an absolute necessity. This third teacher was employed, not to lessen the work of the other two teachers, as some may think, but that a greater amount of time might be given to the work of each pupil. During the first term our daily schedule was very congested and not enough time was given to each study but with the addition of the third teacher this condition has been remedied.

We have tried the past year to keep within the limits of the money raised for text books and supplies. In ordering chemical supplies I ordered only those supplies which were absolutely necessary. It will be necessary to expend quite an amount on new books next year as we are using in some of the classes in every way but we hope you will lend your aid in raising more money for text books and supplies for the coming year.

The past year we have introduced inter-class debates which we think have proved helpful to both pupil and visitor.

The spirit in the school has been fine. The attendance has also been good and I wish to express my thanks to the parents for their co-operation in keeping their attendance at a high mark. I wish also that there might be a closer relationship between parent and scholar. If the parents will show an interest in the work of a scholar at school and at home much better work will be accomplished by the scholar. Another method by which the parents can show their interest is by visiting the school at which his or her child goes. A cordial welcome to visit their schools is extended by all the teachers.

I wish to express again the thanks of the school to the Abigail Chamberlain Chapter of the Daughters of the American Revolution for their beautiful and valuable gift, a fac-simile of the Declaration of Independence.

In closing I would express my thanks to the School Committee for its unfailing courtesy and to the Superintendent for his loyal co-operation.

Respectfully submitted,

ELMER O. SMALL.

#### GENERAL STATEMENT

No. different teachers employed in Common Schools	15
No. experienced teachers	15
No. weeks in Common School Year	32
No. weeks in High School Year	36
Average weekly wage of Common School teachers	\$9.25
Average weekly cost of each Common School	15.65
Average weekly cost of all Common Schools	109.58
Av. No. days schools were maintained for the year	160

It is not possible to make a full statistical report for a year corresponding to the present fiscal year, inasmuch as reports are not at hand for the present incomplete winter term.

To support our schools on their present basis will require an appropriation of \$1600 for support of Common Schools and an appropriation of \$1200 for support of Free High School.

We recommend that separate appropriations be made for books and supplies for Common Schools and High School and we recommend an appropriation of \$150 for books in the High School and \$250 for books for Common Schools.

The Maple Grove school house should be painted; the underpinning at the Longfellow School needs repairs, and improved out-house conditions are needed at the Washington School.

We recommend an appropriation of \$200 for repairs.

Signed

P. E. PRIEST

G. H. RANDLETT

ELIZABETH COOLIDGE

Superintending School Committee.

Herbert W. Wood, Superintendent.

# Warrant for Town Meeting

To Fred A. Vittum, Constable of Solon:

Greeting:—In the name of the State of Maine you are hereby required to notify and warn the inhabitants of said town of Solon qualified by law to vote in town affairs to assemble at the town hall on Monday, the sixth day of March, A. D. 1916, at ten o'clock in the forenoon to act on the following articles to wit:

- Art. 1. To choose a moderator to preside at said meeting.
- Art. 2. To choose a Town Clerk for the ensuing year.
- Art. 3. To receive and act upon the several reports of the officers.
- Art. 4. To choose all necessary Town Officers for the ensuing year.
- Art. 5. To see what sum of money the town will vote to raise for support of Common Schools and pass all votes necessary respecting the same.
- Art. 6. To see what sum of money the town will vote to raise for the purchase of school books and supplies and pass all votes necessary respecting the same.
- Art. 7. To see what sum of money the town will vote to raise for the support of Free High Schools and pass all votes necessary respecting the same.
- Art. 8. To see what sum of money the town will vote to raise for repairs of schoolhouses for the ensuing year and pass all votes necessary respecting the same.
- Art. 9. To see what sum of money the town will vote to raise for highways and bridges and pass all votes necessary respecting the same.
- Aug. 10. To see what sum of money the town will vote to raise for snow roads for 1916 and 17 and pass all votes necessary respecting the same.
- Art. 11. To see what sum of money the town will vote to raise for support of poor and pass all votes necessary respecting the same.
- Art. 12.—To see if the town will vote "yes or no", on the question of appropriating and raising money necessary to entitle the town to State Aid as provided in Section 20 of Chapter 130 of the Public Laws of 1913.

- Art. 13. To see if the town will appropriate and raise the sum of \$533.00 for the improvement of the section of the State Aid road as outlined in the report of the State Highway Commission in addition to the amounts regularly raised for the care of ways, highways, and bridges, the above amount being the maximum which the town is allowed to raise under the provisions of Section 19 of Chapter 130 of the Public Laws of 1913.
- Art. 14. To see if the town will vote to raise money, and what sum, for the maintenance of State Highways during the ensuing year within the limits of the town, under the provisions of Section 9 of Chapter 130 of the Public Laws of 1913.
- Art. 15. To see what sum of money the town will vote to raise to pay town charges including debt and interest and pass all votes necessary respecting the same.
- Art. 16. To see what sum of money the town will vote to raise for Electric Lights for the coming year.
- Art 17. To see what sum of money the town will vote to raise for the support of the Public Library and pass all votes necessary respecting the same.
- Art. 18. To see if the town will vote to allow a discount of 3 per cent on all taxes assessed in 1916 which are paid on or before December 1st 1916.
- Art. 19. To see if the town will vote to authorize the Selectmen to hire money on temporary loan and pass all votes necessary respecting the same.
- Art. 20. To see if the town will vote to elect a Road Commissioner for the ensuing year.
- Art. 21. To see if the town will vote to raise \$500 to repair road from Clarks Corner so-called to Solon Railroad Station.
- Art. 22. To see what sum of money the town will vote to raise to paint and replank one-half the bridge between Solon and Embden and pass all votes necessary respecting the same.
- Art. 23. To see if the town will vote to raise the sum of \$200 to be expended on the hill East of Alvin Heald's residence.
- Art. 24. To see if the town will vote to sell the old School-house lot on School street.
- Art. 25. To see if the town will vote to raise the sum of \$100 for repair of sidewalks in Solon Village and pass all votes necessary respecting the same.
- Art. 26. To see if the town will vote to have a patrolman for town highways.

- Art. 27. To see if the town will vote to build a concrete sidewalk from the Maynard Store, so-called, to Ferry street, and raise money for the same.
- Art. 28. To see what sum of money the town will vote to pay men and teams per hour for labor on highways and pass all votes necessary respecting the same.
- Art. 29. To see what sum of money the town will vote to raise for Memorial Day.
- Art. 30. To see if the town will take action on the taxes of the Solon Lumber Co., and pass all votes necessary respecting the same.
- Art. 31. To see if the town will vote to raise the sum of \$200 to be expended on the road between Ralph Corson's residence and the Corson place so-called.
- Art. 32. To see if the town will vote to charge interest on all taxes assessed in 1916, not paid on or before Feb. 15th 1917, and pass all votes necessary respecting the same.
- Art. 33. To see what sum of money the town will vote to raise for the purchase of storm windows for the High School building and pass all votes necessary respecting the same.
- Art. 34. To see what action the town will take in regard to procuring a suitable water supply for fire protection in the town.
- Art. 35. To see if the town will vote to give the sum of Twenty-five dollars to the Solon Village Cemetery for the purpose of painting the fence.
- Art. 36. To see if the town will vote to paint the High School Building and pass all votes necessary respecting the same.
- Art. 37. To see if the town will vote to elect one or more Fire Wards, fix their compensation and raise a sum of money for the same.

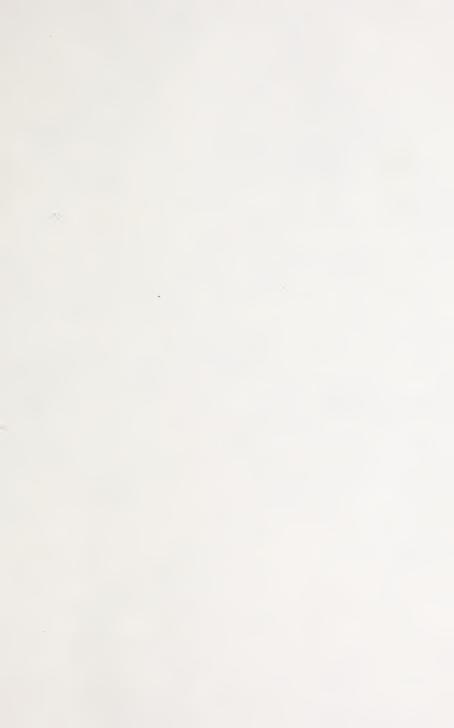
The Selectmen will be in session at nine o'clock in the forenoon at the Town Hall in Solon Village for the purpose of revising and correcting the list of voters on the day of said meeting.

Given under our hands and seals at Solon, Maine, this 21st day of February, A. D. 1916.

M. P. POLLARD
I. L. BROWN
A. C. ADAMS.









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